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Applicant: Nadezhdin, Alex *et al.*
Assignee: NEXFOR INC.
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Official Communication dated April 9, 2004 requesting correction to the claims section of the amendment filed on March 10, 2004, please find attached a compliant set of claims beginning at page 2.